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abandoned, which is--.

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (amended) A system for instructing students, comprising:
 - a) a plurality of [micro]computers, each storing a plurality of lessons;
 - b) a plurality of roving communicators, each able to link with the [micro]computers, via a commercial data channel;
 - c) means for storing profiles of students, which contain information about the student's learning characteristics; and
 - d) means for tailoring presentation of said lessons to each student, in accordance with the student's profile.
2. (Amended) A system according claim 1 comprising lessons which are:
 - i) similar as to topic;
 - ii) non-similar as to presentation; [and]

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iii) progressive; and including

iv) means for selecting an appropriate presentation according to the student's profile, such selection being without human intervention.

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4. (Amended) A system for instructing students, comprising:

a) multiple [micro]computers, each for storing multiple educational programs;

b) means for allowing a student to remotely

i) view a list of all stored educational programs; [and]

ii) select one of the educational programs and run [it] the educational program;

c) means for storing profiles of students, which contain information about the student's learning characteristics; and

d) means for tailoring presentation of said lessons from the educational program to each student, in accordance with the student's profile.

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Please cancel claims 5 and 6, without prejudice.

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8. (Amended) A system for instructing students, comprising:

a) multiple [micro]computers, each for storing educational programs;

b) multiple communicators, for use by students, and linkable to [the microcomputers] a selected computers;

c) software means for allowing a student to

i) view, on a communicator, a list of all stored educational programs on the multiple computer; [and]

ii) select one of the educational programs and run [it] the selected program;

d) means for storing profiles of students, which contain information about the student's learning characteristics; and

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e) means for tailoring presentation of said lessons to each student, in accordance with the student's profile.

Please cancel claim 9 without prejudice.

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10. (new) A system as claimed in claim 1 comprising means for conferencing at least one of the different students and a teacher at a selected stage of the presentation.

11. (new) A system as claimed in claim 4 comprising means for conferencing at least one of the different students and a teacher at a selected stage of operating the educational program.

12. (new) A system as claimed in claim 8 comprising means for conferencing at least one of the different students and a teacher at a selected stage of operating the educational program.

13. (new) A system as claimed in claim 10 wherein the conferencing is a video conference.

14. (new) A system as claimed in claim 11 wherein the conferencing is a video conference.

15. (new) A system as claimed in claim 12 wherein the conferencing is a video conference.

REMARKS

This preliminary amendment is being presented to further the prosecution of this application. Reconsideration of the above application is respectfully requested.

The following remarks were presented in an unentered amendment in the parent case and are resubmitted for further consideration. Claim 2 has been amended in accordance with features to clarify that the appropriate presentation is selected according to the student's